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Re: Final Decision Document for the  
 Final Remedy Landfills 6 and 7  
 Department of Defense Operable Unit  
 Fort Sheridan, Illinois

0970555001/Lake  
 Fort Sheridan (BRAC)  
 Superfund/Technical

Dear Mr. Brawner:

The Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (Illinois EPA or Agency) is in receipt of the Army's *Final Decision Document for the Final Remedy Landfills 6 & 7, Department of Defense Operable Unit, Fort Sheridan, Illinois*. It was dated August 6, 2008 and was received at the Agency on August 11, 2008. The revised submittal presents the selected final remedy for Landfills 6 and 7 chosen by the Army in accordance with the National Oil and Hazardous Substances Pollution Contingency Plan (NCP) and the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980 (CERCLA), as amended by the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). Illinois EPA issued a letter concurring with the contents of the revised document on August 20, 2008. The original signature page of this Decision Document was subsequently sent to the Agency for Director Scott to sign after both the United States Army and the United States Army Reserve had affixed their signatures. Director Scott has since affixed his signature to the document, as requested. As Illinois EPA was the last to sign, the document is now complete. Illinois EPA is herein returning the completed original signature page to the Army. Please place this page back into the final document and provide the Agency with two copies of the completed final Decision Document.

It is noted that the Army is currently in the process of drafting a Land Use Control Remedial Design Document to outline the process for the implementation and maintenance of Land Use Controls (LUCs) as part of the remedial action at Landfills 6 and 7. That document will describe

how the LUCs described in the Decision Document will be implemented and enforced. Illinois EPA's concurrence with the Decision Document is dependant on that document being completed and enforced. Should the Army, for any reason, fail to finalize and enforce that document, the Agency reserves the right to reassess the protectiveness of the final remedy.

If you have any questions regarding anything in this correspondence, you may contact me at 217/557-8155 or via electronic mail at [Brian.Conrath@illinois.gov](mailto:Brian.Conrath@illinois.gov).

Sincerely,

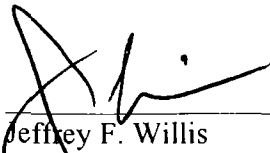
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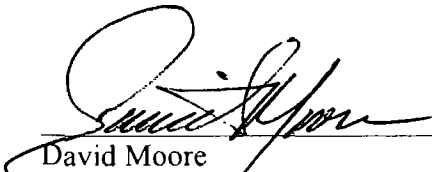
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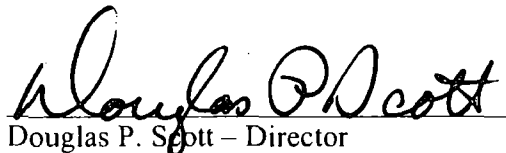
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